WAR ON THE UPPER HOUSE.

The Government Will Give It the First Place on Its Programme,

AN ENTENTE WITH RUSSIA SUGGESTED

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The explanation made at the last meeting of the London County Council by certain members of that body, who are also prominent in the Social Purity League, of the charges of being concerned in various franchism practices, bear out the allegations of jobbers at the expense of the countries. men have been excluded from ellipsylless, unless they pledged themselves to vote for the progressives. "This immature Tammany," says the hostile press, "must be napped in the bud."

Emperor Nicholas II., upon his marriage to the Princess Altx, of Hesse, grand-daughter of Queen Victoria, will be appointed colonel of the Seventh Brijish

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The Prince of Wales will return to England immediately after the funeral of Alexander III., but the Princess will remain with her sister, the Caarina, for a part of the winter.

Ama the colone of praise of the dead Caar, which is heard on all sales, a discribin from the Russian followers of Count Tolstol, which has just been published. In this communication the Caar is accused of acceding to the cruelties practiced against a harmless sort, whose houses were rarled and plumacred, and whose families were driven into exile. Count Tolstol wrote directly to the Caar on behalf of Prince Khilkov, a rich land owner, who, for giving up his estate for the benefit of the poor, was banished to the Caucasus and separated from his children, beseeching the Caar that the Prince's children might be allowed to join him. In response Alexander III. sent a message to Count Tolstol forbil-ling the latter to address another communication to him.

PRINCE OF WALES' NEW YACHT.

PRINCE OF WALES' NEW TACRY.

The Prince of Wales has ordered a Clyde-built yacht of less bears than the Britannia to be ready for next season. Lord Dunrayen will defor the definite approval of the designs submitted for his new challenger for the America's cup until the conditions governing the contest for the trophy shall have been definitely settled.

The Field advocaes the holding of a conference of leading yachtsmen of America and Great Britain on the rating rules. The paper says the views of the committee of the New York Yacht Club, as expressed in their report of 1893, harmonize with the opinions of the foremost yachtsmen of England, and adds:

"That report was drawn by then of clear conceptions as the rating rule should be."

Rev. Hugh Price Hughes, the celebrated Methodist divine, in an open letter on the recant elections in the United Staes

every true servant of Christ cause for devout thankfulness."
Mr. Michael Davitt will shortly start on a tour of South Africa, India and Australia. Mr. Davitt will lecture at several points during his trip. A fund is being collected for the expenses of the journey.

HAS PORT ARTHUR FALLEN?

to Have Feen Ceptured.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—The Pall Mall Gazette says a dispatch from Cheefoo says Port Arthur has been captured. The dispatch also says that five Chinese forpedo boats passed Chefoo at an early hour yesterday morning, steaming in the direction of Wei-Hai-Wei.

THE EMPEROR OF CHINA HAS THE PEVER. LONDON, Nov. 10.—A dispatch from Shanghal to the Central News says the Emperor of China has had a severe attack of fever. The same dispatch says hat the power of Viceroy Li Hung hang is gradually waning.

Thirty thousand Chinese are awaiting chance to leave New Chwang.

COUNCIL OF STATE MURDERED. COUNCIL OF STATE MURDERED.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—A dispatch from Chemulpo to the Standard says that Kithaku, the vice-chairman of the Corean Council of State, who was appointed to that position through Japanese influence, was assassinated on October 20th. The killing was due to the intense anti-Japanese feeling which prevails.

Five hundred Japanese have returned to Seoul, and more Japanese have landed south of Seoul for the purpose of putting down the rebellion of the Tong Haks.

MONCOW IN MOURNING.

The People Turning Out on Masse to Honor

the Memory of the (Zar.

MOSCOW, Nov. 16.—The city has been so generally covered with emblems of mourning that the streets present a most hardrious appearance, black and white flags flying from houses, lamponts, etc., everywhere. All of the residents of the city have voluntarily decorated their houses, and the municipality have voted 50,000 roubles to decorate the nublic buildings. The innerial convoy is in readiness at Kharkoff to accompany the body to Sc. Petersburg. The progress of the funeral train is very impressive, the people along the route turning out on muses to do honor to the memory of the dealt Czar. During the period that the body will lie in state here the monasteries of Mescew will give dinners to the poor of the city. While the body is being taken through the streets to the railway station the gas lamps in the streets will be draped in black and lighted.

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OMAHA, NEB., Nov. 16.—Judge Pat. O. Hawes, one of the nest prominent of omaha's attorneys, was jailed for inteen days by Judge Scott to-day, Hawes had refused to practice before Scott. The Court heard of it and sent for the attorney. A lady attending court remarked to her husband that the affair looked much more like the exercise of power than justice. Her remarks were reported to the court and she was at once fined To-night the bar is talking of impeaching Scott for his arbitrary action.

Methodist Missionaries are Safe.

PORT LOUIS, MAURITIUS, Nov. 10.

Advices received here from Tamatave say that the Hova Premier has announced that he will afford protection to the Methodist Missionarios in Madagascar and all the French now in Tamatave, where M. Le Mire de Villiers, the French Commissioner, now is. The Hovas are concentrating at Diego Suariez, at the morthern extremity of the Island.

LONDON, Nov. 10.—A dispatch to The Times from Port Louis, Mauritim, says that all diplomatic relations between France and Madagascar have now been droken off.

Tablets to Mark the Positions Held by

GETTESBURG, PA., Nov 10 -The co States destysburg Hattlehell omain in the crection of tablets to mark the positions held and forgat over by Louisiana troops, during the memorable three days battle, of July, 1865, will arrive here Wednesday norming and for the first time a Southern State will join hands with the National Government, in marking the positions held by Confestrate troops. The Louisianians will be met here by United States Commissioners Colonel John P. Nicholson, Colonel John B. Bachelor and Major Wilhim Mack Lobbins. There will be daily sessions of the judicial committee, and all parts of the battlefield will be visited. The Southerners will bring their maps, defining their positions during the fight, and the positions will be located and marked. The Louisiana committee is as follows: Eugene H. Levy (claiman), Donaidsonville Artillery; Col. David Sable, Fourteenth Infantry; John H. Murray, Sixth Louisiana Infantry; Mulor Andrew Here, New Orleans, Washington Artillery; Albert M. Levy, La, Guards Artillery.

The Alleged Train Robber May Never Re. cover. His Case Continued to Dec. 22.

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CINCINNATI, G., Nov. 10.—Special.—The startiling fact that Charles August Morganifold may never recover to answer a charge of train-robbing in the Virginia court was brought to light in the Folice Court to-day. Presecutor Euppert called out his name for arraignment as a fugilitive from justice, and the officers in the case esked that it be reset for six weeks later. Morganielo's injured limb went without medical attention so long after it was broken that blood poisoning is liable to etistic. It has healed in some places, but stubbornly refuses to heal in others, and unless more favorable symptoms manifest themselves shortly the hospital physicians expect the development of blood poisoning and gangrene. Judge Greeg reset the case until December 22d, to await the outcome of the train robbers' condition. ----

Alabama Negroes Going to Liberia.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—A special from Birmingham, Ala, says an advance guard of negro emigrants left Eirmingham yenterday, en route to Monweville, Liberia. via New York and Laverpool. Thoy go as a committee to make arrangements for the emigration of several thousand of their countrymen, who have paid the necessary money to the International Migration Society, and only awalt perfected plans to leave. The President of Liberia has sent encouraging letters, and promises twenty-five acres of land and a temporary abode to each emigrant. As soon as the advance guard has gotten everything mapped out in Africa the rest of their countrymen will follow by steamer. Reliable railroad agents here say they have more inquires follow by steamer. Reliable railroad agents here say they have more inquiries from negroes anxious to go to Liberia than they can answer.

An Allered Fraudulent Concern,
WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—W. H. Lamar, Acting First Assistant PostmasterGeneral, has received from the postmaster at Norfolk, Va., several copies
of newspapers in relation to the Norfolk
Fire and Marine Insurance Company,
and the postmaster asked to be instructed what disposition should be made of
the company's mail, in view of the alleged fraudulent character of the concern Mr. Lamar informed him that the
department is not justified in directing
him to withhold the delivery of mail
upon the newspaper articles, and he was
instructed to investigate the matter and
regulations by the company, and whether
any legal action in the matter should be
taken. It is said that the company represented itself as having \$100,000 in capital,
and that it conducted swindling operations throughout the country.

should be. Rev. Hugh Price Hughes, the celebrated Rev. Hugh Price Hughes, the celebrated Methodist divine, in an open letter on the recent elections in the United Stars asys:

"The result of the balloting has given loss is estimated at \$20,006."

Encourage Them,

The Chinese Stronghold Again Reported THE SITUATION IN NORTH CAROLINA.

Talk of the Democrats and Republicans Combining on the U. S. Senatorship so as to Defeat Butler.

Times Bureau, Rapley Building, Washington, November 10, 1894. The most absurd of all of the post-elec-The most absurd of all of the post-election fanaticisms is the wild and ungovernable rush on the part of all of the defeated Republican candidates to file notices of contests. The idea seems to have crept into the heads of a great many of the Republicans, especially in the South, that they would run for Congress, be defeated, of course, contest the election on any grounds whatever, and be counted in by the Republicans, who, they hoped, would have a small majority in the Fifty-fourth Congress. This view seems to have been based upon the action of the Fifty-first Congress, when two negroes, Miller, of South Carolina, and Langston, of Virginia, were seated in ten minutes. The Republicans running in the South this year seemed to make no calculation as to the justice of their claims, nor to exhibit the slightest suspicion that perhaps the Republican party might have a moment of virtuous inclination, and refuse to count in by the wholesale every man who had offered himself as a living sacrifice upon the altars of Republicanism. And so, here they come with over sixty advices of contest. The returns thus far show that the Republicans will have 23 members in the next slouse, the Democrats 101, and the Populists but seven. With a majority of 1% it does not seem very likely that Mr. Reed and his cohorts will bother very much about getting in any more Republicans, when they would simply take up places on committees, crowd junketing trips, and clamor for a division of the patronage which falls in with the House and Senate organizations.

The idea seems to prevail that Congress has provided that \$2,600 shall be paid to each contestant to defray his extenses in such contest, and many of the erstwhile candidates, being lawyers, have conceived the lifea of managing their own cases and reaping this fee, which would, in many cases, go a great way towards soothing the hurt they feel at not being called upon to represent a constituency. The real facts in contests are these: The contestant, after the coljustment of his contest, pres tion fanaticisms is the wild and ungov ernable rush on the part of all of the de

There is one feature which is very prominently portrayed in a close inspection of the present situation. The American people do not like extremes of extremists. This was to a great extent demonstrated when the people, by their votes, absolutely repudiated the extreme protection policy of McKinley, and now, through the drifting smoke of the recent contest, it would seem that they feared in Wilson too swift a trend toward abbrough the drifting smoke of the recent contest. It would seem that they feared in Wilson too swift a trend toward absolute free trade; so, with Tom. Johnson, of Ohio, the avowed free-trader, they rest from their labors along this line. The previous of Wilson were to continuous the work on the tariff reductions, while Reed, Sherman, Allison and others pledged the adoption and maintenance of the middle ground already occupied by the Sentice bill. In finance, as in the tariff, the extremists are wrapped in the windingshed of their own pet theories, and put away from control or direction in these matters. Richard P. Bland, the father of the "dollar of our daddes," finds a silver liming in the cloud of his defeat, while Tracey, of New York, the monometalist, and his devoted followers, are as disconcerted and demoralized as the worshippers of the golden calf. Jerry Simpson, the Populist free-trader silverite, and William M. Springer, of the Sam. Rasuali school of protection, no longer play at see-saw, with Congress for a perch. Judge Holman, whose impecuniosity, and Amos Cummings, who, as chairman of the Naval Committee, would have pensioned on the trass of the mational parks the mule teams of the war, together with their drivers, and Kilsore, ownom a pension bill was as a red flag to a Texas bull, are all gone to join in the quieter and less disturbing avocations of life, and what remains of the Democratic majority in the Fifty-fourth Congress are mostly men whose conservativeness is beyond question and whose minds are bent upon a wholesome and well-defined policy that bespeaks the general good.

THE NORTH CEROLINA SITEXTIEN.

The situation in North Carollina is now being considerably discussed, and with the return here of a number of men who went home to vote some very interesting news crops out. There is no longering news crops out. There is no longering news crops out. There is no longering news the control of the fact that the Fusionists (Republicans and Populists) will have from thirty to forty votes in joint ballet in the State Leeislature, which belief this winter a successor to Senator Ransom and to the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Vance. The theory of course, has been that one Republican and one Populist would share these henors as a roward for the fusion success, but another and a very uncertain element has crept into the case, and may yet bear fruit palatable to the Democrats. The supposition is that naturally a geographical division would be observed, and the West and East each have a senator, and as Marion Butler is from the eastern part of the State and is the Populists candidate, the Republicans in the western section expect to name their man. There are three very prominent Republican candidates, Messrs. Oliver P. Dockery, the late Consul-General at Rio; Jeter Pritch and, of Asheville, and Dr. J. J. Mott, of Statesville. Neither the Republicans nor the Democrats have much love for Butler, and right here lies the secret of the pending trouble for him. THE NORTH CAROLINA SITUATION.

TALK OF A TRADE.

It is said here that if any one of the Republican candidates can control about fifteen votes, that the Democrats will combine with him and elect a Republican in the West and a Democrat in the East, or it is even hinted that the Democrats would go to any eastern Republican who could muster enough votes rather than see Butler, the Populist, in the Senate from the old North State. Anyhow, the fourthook for Butler is very shady, and there is, a good chance for some energetic Republican with fifteen votes to do well.

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It has also been stated that fifteen Republicans who were not pledged to anybody, and who have no desire to see Butler in the Senste, would draw lots among themselves for the senatorship and go into some agreement on the lines suggested.

Quite a number of congressmen are coming back to Washington now, some making winter arrangements for their families, and some looking after departmental business which has been neglected during the campaign

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during the campaign
Congressman Swanson is the first to arrive from Virginia, and he will return in
a few days Notwithstanding this laborious canvass he made, the young orator
and statesman from Chatham is looking

splendidly, and was in the best of spirits over his signal victory. Mr. Swanson has made a brilliant campaign, and will be a conspicuous figure in the next House.

SENATOR RANSOM HAS NO APALOGUES. SENATOR BANSOM HAS NO APALOGUES.
Senator Ransom, of North Carolina.
arrived here to-night. He has no apologies to make or explanations, to give of the defeat of Democracy in North Carolina. "My fight during the campaign just ended was for North Carolina; my personal interests I never considered."
The Senator is here, as chairman of the Senate Committee on Commerce, to make arrangements for the transcontinental trip agreed upon by the last Congress.

gress.

It is not at all certain that he will accompany the committee to the Pacific slope, but his friends here are urging him to do so. His reception here to-night was amost an ovation, and slowed that General Ransom was a bigger man than Senator Ransom is looking well, and is in the best of spirits.

THE VIRGINIA JOCKEY CLUB RACES.

At a meeting of the diectors of the Virginia Jockey Club, held to-night at the Metropolitan Hotel, it was agreed that they would adhere to their original programme and abide by the laws of the National Jockey Club, which means legitimate racing in Virginia as far as this club is concerned.

Colonel S. G. Brent, of Alexandria, and Mr. C. Carlin, Alexandria's new postmaster, were present at the meeting.

Mr. Leroy H. Shields, collector of the port at Norfolk, was at the Treasury Department this morning on official business.

Ex-Postmaster Frank Slade, of Norfelk, is in the city
Congressmen Bunn, of North Carolina, and Hooker, of Mississippi, art at the Metropolitan.

Mr. H. M. Miller, of Rappahannock county, passed through the city to-day for the horse show in Baltimore, where Secator Henry Fairfax has some of his celebrated Hackneys

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SOME UNKNOWN QUANTITIES. Raw Material of the Republican Side of

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—Ninety-eight Republicans in the present Congress have been re-elected, but it so happens that fifty-two of them are now serving their first terms. Twelve members are serving their second terms. They are as follows:

Loud and Bowers, of California: Johnson, of Indiana; Hull and Perkins, of Jowa; Broderick, of Kansas; Curtis, Ray and Hooker, of New York; Robinson and W. A. Stone, of Pennsylvania, and Powers, of Vermont. This leaves only thirty-frour Republicans who will have served three terms and over when they enter the next Congress. The list of them is so short as to be interesting:

Three terms—Russell, of Connecticut; Post and Smith, Illinois; Dolliver, Iowa; Walker and Morse, Massachusetts; Stephenson, Michigan; Sherman, New York; Reyburn, Brostus, Wright, and C. W. Stone, Pennsylvania; Pickler and S. D. Taylor, Tennessee, and Wilson, of Washington.

ington.
Four terms-Hepburn, Iowa; Cogswell,
Massachusetts; Wadsworth, New York;
Grosvenor, Ohio, and Scranton and Dalzell, of Pennsylvania.
Five terms-Hopkins, of Illinois; Boutelle, Maine; Burrows, Michigan; Hermann, Oregon, and Grout, of Vermont.
Six terms-Hitt, of Illinois; Henderson,
Iowa; Dingley and Milliken, of Maine,
and Paine, of New York.
Eight terms-Bingham, of Pennsylvania.

The next Congress, unless convened in extra session to meet some emergency, as, for instance, failure to pass the appropriation bills, will not assemble until one year from December next.

CONSOLIDATION ADOPTED. A Majority of 1,708 in Brooklyn, Making

the Total Majority 38,809.

NEW YORK, Nev. 10.—Brooklyn voted 63,442 for consolidation and 61,734 against, becording to the latest returns received at police headquarters in that city. This shows a majority of 1,708 for union with New York, and there are still a few districts missing. The result is claimed as a great victory by the enthusiastic superfers of the greater New York, and is expected to settle all question as to the massage by the next Legislature of a bill which will be framed by the commission in charge of the work.

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Mayor Scherin, of Brooklyn, says that had the vote been taken after it was een that Tammany Hall was burted frooklyn would have given 50,000 majority in favor of consolidation. The vote of this ity. Brooklyn, Staten Island, Long sland City, Flushing and the Westchester owns, which are included in the proowns, which are included in the pro-cosed greater New York, was as follows: New York—For. 87,766, against, 56,400. Brooklyn—For. 842, against, 61,724. Staten Island—For. 5,231, against, 1,469. Queens county towns—For, 7,25; against,

Westchester county towns—For, 2,169; against, 2,763.
Total—For, 165,856; against, 127,067. Malority, 35,869.
The official canvass of Brooklyn gives no Democrats four instead of three representatives in the Assembly from that ity. This change will make the Assembly stand; Republicans, 165; Democrats, 2, and a tie in the Ninth district of this ity.

WILSON'S "G, C," NOTE, The Oaly Congressman to Whom Cleveland

The Oely Congressman to Whom Cleveland Sent a Campaign Check

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—In support of the suggestion that William L. Wilson, of West Virginia, may possibly be one of the President's official family after the 4th of March next, the statement is made upon excellent authority that Chairman Wilson was the only candidate in the present campaign in whom the President took sufficient interest to induce him to send a goodly-sized check to aid him in his contest.

It is also recalled that Mr. Wilson was President Cleveland's personal choice for permanent chairman of the Chicago Con-

The Appropriations Committee,

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 10.—Chairman Sayres, of the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Reprisonatives, has issued a call for the subcommittees of the committees on the District of Columbia, Fortifications and Pensions to meet Thursday, November 224, to take up the consideration of these

bills.

The composition of the subcommittee on the District of Columbia has been changed. Mr. Compton, chairman, resigned, having been superseded by Mr. Williams, of Illinois. The remainder of the committee consists of Dockery and Rabinson, Democrats, and Henderson and Cogswell. Republicans.

The New Orleans Ruce Strike.

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NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 10.—There has
been no change in the strike situation tonight. Governor Foster went to Baton
Rouge this afternoon, and the labor organizations have been called to meet tomatrow morning, when it is supposed that
the preliminary steps toward a seitlement
of the difficulty will be taken. There
has been no rioting to-day, and the negro
haborers have worked under protection
without molestation. Reports received
at midnight, from Southport and points
in the city were to the effect that the
conditions were peaceable.

Syear Refineries Resume.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 10.—The Franklin and E. C. Knight refineries of the
American Sugar Refineries Company, in
this city, resumed operations to-day after
a suspension of several weeks. Employment is given to two thousand workmen.
It is announced that the Spreckel's refinery, which is also a member of the
Trust, will resume operations next week.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 10.—Secre-tary Lamont has decided on the army changes and issued the order this after-noon. There are but two transfers and one assignment, General Miles to New York, Ruger to Chicago, and Forsythe to California.

DEMOCRATS HAVE NOT SURREN-DERED THE GOVERNORSHIP.

Texas Lores Only One Congressman, and Culterson is Elected Governor by Over 40,000 - Waite's Wate loo.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Nov. 10 .- The election for Governor of Tengessee is still in dispute between the Democrats and Republicans, with the outlook now favoring publicans, with the outlook now favoring the Democrats. Up to this afternoon Chairman Saunders, of the Republican Committee, claimed the victory by several thousand. To-night he has lowered his chims to less than one thousand. Official returns are in from seventy-two counties, and at the headquarters of both parties unofficial returns have been received from the remaining counties. Each side claims the victory by a plurality of less than one thousand. The official count will be recessary to determine which side has actually won.

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GALVESTON, TEX., Nov. 10.—Late returns in the Texas gubernatorial situation shows that Culberson's majority is between 40,000 and 60,000. The Populist vote shows a large increase over two

years ago. The congressional situation to-night stands as follows: First district—Hutcheson (Dem.), 5,000 Stands as indicated that the stands as indicated the first district—Hutcheson (Dem.), 8,838 majority Second—Cooper (Dem.), 8,838 majority Third—Yoakum (Dem.), 2,232 majority Fourth—Culberson (Dem.), 3,408 plu

rality.

Fifth—Balley (Dem.), 8,002 plurality.
Sixth—Abbott (Dem.), 17 plurality.
Seventh—Pendleton (Dem.), 2,721 majority.
Eighth—Bell (Dem.), 2,477 majority.
Ninta—Sayers (Dem.), 2,100 majority.
Tenth—Crowley (Dem.), 7,500.
Eleventh—Crain (Dem.), 11,363.
Twelfth—Noonan (Rep.), 950 plurality.
Thirteenth—Cockrell (Dem.), 186 plurality.

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The Republicans and Populists will contest Sayer's election in the Ninth district, on the grounds of intimidation and gross irregularities in Washington county, which gave Sayers over 1,000 majority, and because of the use of whisky and irregularities in Travis county. Rosenthal (Rep.) will contest Crowley's election in the Galveston district.

ONE MORE DEM CRAY PULLUD TEROUGH.

DENVER, COL., Nov. 10.—McIntyre's plurality for Governor is 18,706, with a few small counties to be heard from. He received 84,221 votes, Wafte 65,155, and Thomas (Dem.) 6,571.

PAID \$14,980 FOR HIS DEFEAT.

The Tammany Nominee for Shoriff Spent the Most Money.

the Most Mover.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19.—Of all the candidates at the election of November sin who have thus far filed their expense accounts, William Sohmer. Tammany nominee for sheriff, spent the most money. It cost Mr. Sohmer \$14.989 to be defeated. Of this amount he spent \$4.80 for lithographs and printing; for stationery, cierk fire \$4.00 circums \$2.26; Iammany Hall got \$2.000; \$1.852 went for postage; for posters and letter writing he spent \$4.25; for advertising in the daily papers, \$391; for advertising in periodicals, \$13; for cab hire, \$216; for telegrams, \$75; expressage, \$53; car fare, \$38, and for wagons and drivers, \$35.

One Democrat From Illinois,

CHICAGO, ILL., Nov. 10.—The reviscount of the vote in the Stateenth I nois congressional district elects Finis Downing (Dem.) by 69 majority over Jo I. Rinaker (Rep.) This makes the I nois delegation stand: Republicans, Democrats, 1.

DENVER, COL., Nov. 19.—Bell (Pop.) is positively elected to Congress over Bowen in the Second district by 2,000 ma-

Bell Returned in Colorado,

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Nov. 10. Special.—The latest returns place Con-gressman Jones majority at about 4,500. ADMIRAL GHERARDI RETIRED. Amid the Booming of Cannon He With.

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BROOKLYN, Nov. 10.—Rear Admiral
Bancroft Gherardi, commandant of the
navy-yard in Brooklyn, having reached
the age limit of sixty-two years, was
retired at 19:30 o'clock this morning from
the service. The ceremony was so simpie that hny one not initiated would hardly have known what was taking place.
The formalities were observed in the
Lyceum building.

At 10:30 o'clock the officers of the yard
and a few of the personal friends of the
Admiral assembled in the Lyceum room.
There the Admiral received them. Precisely at 10:30 o'clock the marines of
the Vermont, the flagship, drew up on
deck. As the hands of the clock pointed
to the minute, the flag of the Admiral
was swung to the breeze. Just as its
folds floated on the breeze the command
was given, and the gunners fired a salute
of thirteen volleys to the flag. After
the last gun was fired the flag dropped
to the deck again. The echoes of the last
gun-shot had not died away, when Admiral Gherardi began to take his leave.
He shook the hands of all those present,
and bade the officers farewell.

The parting reception over, the Admiral
proceeded to turn over the control of
the yard to Captain Rodgers, who will
be the acting commandant until Admiral
Gherard's successor is appointed.

OTHER NAVAL NEWS.

OTHER NAVAL NEWS. Ensign R. H. Jackson has been ordered to inspection duty at Midvale, Pa., and Ensign N. A. McCully has been detached from duty as assistant to the ordnance inspection at Hartford, Conn., and ordered to the const and geodetic survey. Dispatches were received at the Navy Department to-day announcing the following movements of vessels: Yorktown left Mare Island, Cal., for Yokohama: Detroit sailed from Azores for Cadiz, and the Marbiehead arrived at Cartagenia.

IMPROVEMENT IN COTTON CROP. Returns to the Department of Agriculture Contain Encouraging Reports.

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—The cotton returns of the Department of Agriculture for the month of November show improvement of prospects, as compared with the returns of last month. This is due to better weather and is especially notable in the States of Alabama, Mississippi notable in the States of Alabama, Mississippi Louisiana and Texas. Favorable weather, besides improving the crops, has facilitated picking. In Alabama the crop has been nearly all secured and much of it sold. In Mississippi, many counties report picking as closed, and a considerable improvement in the crop over indications of October. The average estimate for the State of Louisiana is reported as raised, because of favorable weather for picking during October. The crop in Texas maintains the high average formerly indicated. The weather has been quite favorance for picking, and nearly three-fourths of the crop has been gathered. Greater dispatch has been noted in harvesting the crop than in any former years and it has also been marketed in larger quantities. The injury to the crop in some parts of the State from excessive moisture, causing rust and rotting of bolls, has been more than counterbalanced by the favorable conditions that existed in other parts for maturing the top crop and for picking. No great damage from frost is reported in Arkansas; weather has also been favorable for gathering. The increased product of that State, as compared with last year, is due to the fact that much land that was overflowed in 1833, was planted in cotton this year. The indications of the everage yield per acre for the entire cotton belt is 197.7 pounds distributed by States as follows: North Carolins,

TURNEY MAY BE ELECTED 200; South Carolina 168; Georgia, 151; Florida, 110; Alabama, 160; Miselssippi, 186; Louislana, 150; Texas 238; Arkansas, 180; Texas 238; Arkansas, 180;

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WASHINGTON, Nov. 19.—The November returns to the Department of Agriculture of the rates of yield per acre make the average of corn 19.7, which is about 11.2 bushels above the yield indicated by the condition figures in October. This is the lowest rate of yield that has occurred since 1881, when it stood at 18.6 bushels per acre. Lest year the yield was 22.5 bushels, upon a much larger harvestel acreage. The rates for the years 1886, '87 and '90, which were respectively '22, '20.1 and 29.7 bushels. The yield for the present year, which must be regarded as a preliminary and not as a final estimate, is less than the average for the ten years, 1870 to 1879, by 7.4 bushels; less than the average for the four years, 1880 to 1885, by 4.4 bushels; less than the average for the four years, 1880 to 1885, by 4.4 bushels, and less than the average for the four years, 1880 to 1885, by 4.4 bushels, and less than the average for the four years, 1880 to 1885, by 4.4 bushels, and less than the average for the four years, 1880 to 1885, by 4.5 bushels, constitution in harmony with reported indications during the growing reason. The rates of yield of the principal corn States are as follows: New York, 28.2; Pennsylvania, 32. Ohlo, 26.3; Michigan, 22. Indiana, 28.9; illinots, 28.3; Iowa, 15; Missouri, 22; Kansas, II.2; Nebraska, 6.3.

The average yield of tobacco is 733 pounds per acre. In 1893 it was 695.3 and in 1892 682 pounds. The average in quality is 87.9.

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PHILADELPHIA, PA., Nov. 10.—The following letter was sent to Mrs. Cleveland yesterday, and whether or not the exhortation therein contained will be considered by the first lady of the land remains entirely with herself. The communication reads:

"Homored Madame:

"Learning that you have consented to christen the new American steamship, St. Louis, at Cramp's shipyard, Philadelphia, on Monday next, we, the Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Philadelphia, in monthly meeting assembled, November 9, 1894, respectfully appeal to you as representing the highest type of American womanhood, both officially and personally, to establish a new precedent by departing from the stereotyped method of using alcoholic wine and substituting pure water for the ceremony.

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"Respectfully.
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"To Mrs. Frances Folsom Cleveland."
It is not likely that this departure from long established precedent will be made on so imposing an occasion as the launching of the St. Louis will prove. The Woman's Christian Temperance Union has taken similar steps at the christening of United States ships of war in the past, and many resolutions have been adopted condemning the practice of spilling sparkling wine over the new verseis prow. Many followers of the sea and persons distinguished in maritime affairs would firmly believe that the omission of the time-honored ceremony, as it is proposed to perform it, would forebode ill luck to the magnificent new occan liner. Some of these practical men declare that the substitution of a bottle of water would save the waste of good wine, and, therefore, they find some good in the proposed amendment to the tradition.

Colonel Lamb Charges Fraud in Norfolk

County_1 Reporter Assaulted. NORFOLK, VA., Nov. 20.-Special .-NORFOLK, VA., Nov. 20.—Special.—Colonel William Lamb has sworn out warrants for the arrest of R. T. Webster, John I. Ranson and J. S. Carmine, judges of election of Huntersville precinct, Norfolk county. It is charged that ballots were prepared and folded for D. Gardner Tyler and these were passed by one or the other of the judges to the shelf below the ballot box and convenient to the hands of J. S. Carmine, who took in the ballots at the window and would drop then on the floor and substitute a Tyler ballot, taken from the shelf.

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Just about this time it is becoming fashionable to whip newspaper men. Set long since a man named Thomas, onnected with the staff of The News and Courier, was cowhided on account of certain things he said about Mayor's lerk. This morning a man named bavis, connected with the same paper, was fereciously assaulted with a cane by man named Moss, for "writing up" is place. If the disease becomes conagious somebody will likely get hurt, so far the fighting has all been on one side.

The coal trade is forging ahead. The sales this week from Lambert's Point amounted to 44,8341-2 tons.
Reports from the peanut crop indicate that the product of this year will be equal in quantity and quality of last year.

year.
Dr. A. C. Bledsoe, of the CumberlandStreet Methodist church, will likely be
sent to Richmond next year. It is said
that the Norfolk climate does not agree
with his wife. He will possibly go to
Richmond. Rev. Mr. Ray, of Union Station, will come to Cumberland-Street.

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MEMPHIS, TENN., Nov. 10.—There was a sensational scene this afternoon in the court-room where H. N. Smith and W. S. Richardson are on trial, before Jurige Cooper, for complicity in the Kerryille lynching of six negroes. Six hundred talesmen had been examined and eleven juors obtained. A special venire of one hundred was on hand, from which to get another juror.

Attorney-General Patterson announced that he had evidence that one juror, named Harris, who had sworn he had formed no opinion, had in advance expressed an opinion and declared he would hang no white man for killing a negro. The Court immediately ordered all further proceedings stopped, the case to go over till Monday, when evidence against Harris will be presented.

It is understood there is a similar charge against another accepted juror and that on Monday Judge Cooper will order Sheriff McCarver removed from the superintendence of the lail on account of the freedom he has permitted the prisoners charged with the lynching.

MARRIAGE OF TICKERS.

The Romantic Wedding of Two Popular Telegraph operators

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BEDFORD CITY, VA., Nov. 10.—Special, A letter was received here to-day announcing the marriage at Bristol on Wednesday of Mr. Charles W. Demain, a popular telegraph operator of Gordonsville, Va., and Miss Alice B. Kyle, the attractive manager of the Western Union telegraph office at this place. The wedding was to have taken place in a few weeks, but Miss Kyle, while on her way to visit relatives in Tennessee, met Mr. Denman in Roanoke and they decided on the spur of the moment to go to Bristol and get married. They will grobably visit New Orleans and other southern cities before returning. Both of the contracting parties have an extended acquaintance throughout the State, and are very popular.

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The Richard T. Green Ashers. POINT PLEASANT, N. J., Nov. 10.— The brig Richard T. Green. Captain Moore, which sailed from New York No-vember 9th for Wilmington, N. C., loaded with sail, came ashore near Ship-Bottom Life-Saving Station, at Beach Haven, this morning during very thick and rainy weather. Captain Moore and the crew of the brig were rescued by the crew of the Life-Saving Station.

PRICE THREE CENTS:

SEC'RY CARLINLE THINKS THERE IS NO NECESSITY FOR IT NOW.

It is Intimated That President Ceveland and Secretary Carlisle Are Not in Accord on the Subject.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—Centad N. Jordan, Assistant United States Tressurer at New York, arrived here this morning quite unexpectedly, and was in close conference with Secretary Carilisis at the Treasury Department for some time. He returned to New York on the noon train. Assistant Secretary Curtis is authority for the statement that Mr. Jordan's visit had no connection with any contemplated bond issue. Those close to Secretary Carilisis state that the Secretary himself will not speak on the matter, and intimates that people in New York "seem to know more about a contemplated bond issue, judging from the papers, than we do in the Treasury Department at Washington."

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From the last bond issue the Treasury only received \$38,000,000 of gold, net, and from a bond issue now, while it would increase the Treasury's general balance, no one at all acquainted with Treasury finances believes that £5,000,000 in bonds, premium included. The Treasury general balance stands at \$105,000,000, of which \$62,000,000 is in gold—\$5,000,000 above the lowest point reached last summer, and Treasury officials again say they see no reacons now that did not exist more emphatically last summer for strengthening the gold reserve. The available balance outside of the gold reserve is to-day \$15,000,000, when, at the time of the last bond issue, it was less than \$10,000,000, and the expenditures \$11,000,000, of which \$5,500,000 have been paid on account of pensions. The custom receipts for the ten days of this month reach for the month, but a loss for the fiscal year to date of \$2,000,000, as compared with the same period of last year.

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This condition of the Treasury is pointed to as showing evidence of the improvement which began two months ago, as indicating no immediate necessity for a bond issue. Intimations are thrown out in an unofficial way that the President and Secretary Carlisle are not entirely in accord as to a bond issue at this time, and it is stated that if a bond issue is authorized in the present condition of the Treasury and the gold reserve, it will not be done on Secretary Carbile's recommendation.

CONGRESSIONAL APPORTIONMENT. The Republicans Gain Ten States as a

Result of Tuesday's Election.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 10.—The recent election will have an important bearing upon the congressional apportionment of the States that were captured from the Democrats by the Republicans. The result will be an entire reversal of the present order of things, and will enable the Republicans to entrench themselves again in power in several States. At present there are twenty-four States that have been apportioned by Democrats; twelve been apportioned by Democrats; twelve been apportioned. The twelve States apportioned under Republican direction are: Colorado, lowa, Kansas, Maine; Minnesota, New Hampshire, Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island; Vermont, and quite recently, New Jersey. In the shamp of 1890 the Republicans lost, and the Democrats re-apportioned California, Connecticut, Illinois, Massachusetts, Michigan, Nebraska; New York, and Wisconsin. By so doing they mathered in from these eight States fifty-three members of Congress. The election of Tuesday last gave the Democrats from the same state but seven mem rs. In addition to securing what they had previously lost, the Republicans were also successful in electing Legislatures in Miss orl, Indiana and West Virginia, which will enable them to make such apportionment in those States as seems best. In Indiana the constitution stipulates that the apportionment shall not be made oftener than once in every six years, but the Republicans have already begun to discuss a plan by which they get around this by various amendments. In North Carolina the apportionment shall not be made oftener than once in every six years, but the Republicans have already begun to discuss a plan by which they get around this by various amendments. In North Carolina the apportionment shall not be made oftener than once in every six years, but the Republicans and Poonlists. This will change the present figures there, so that the Democrats will have charge of the apportionment in thirteen States, the Republicans and Poonlists. This will change the present figures Result of Tuesday's Election.

SAM SMALL AND THE POLICE. Editor Coleman Proves That He Did Have Protection in Roanoke.

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ATLANTA, GA., Nov. 10.—The Atlanta Constitution of Thursday printed a card from Saim. Small to the following effect: "Norfolk, Va., Nov. 7.

"The report printed by the Constitution Tuesday, wired from Roanoke, about my speech and that the police guarded me, was not correct in any particular. (Signed) "SAM. W. SMALL." Replying to this, Editor Colman furnishes the following: "Roanoke, Va., Nov. 10.

"The following explains my position on the article I sent out from here on the night of November 5th in regard to police protection for Sam. W. Small:

"To H. A. Colman, Editor Roanoke Times:

"At the request of a prominent Prohibition leader I furnished extra police protection at the Opera-House in this city on the night of November 5th. This gentlemen informed me he had heard that threats had been made assainst the life of Mr. Small, in which event he proposed to step in and be shot himself, if necessary. I also, on my own responsibility, detailed policemen to meet the train on which Mr. Small was expected, in order to prevent a breach of the peace.

(Signed) ""H. N. DYZIL.

"In addition to this, Sergeant-of-Police, Gold informed me that had been requested by a member of the committee who had the meeting in charge to furnish police protection for Small from the Opera-House to the depot on his departure, and that detailed two policemen for this purpose, one marching on each side of Small. The Sergeant walked directly behind the party. The Police Sergeant is out of the city at present, or I would get affidavit from him also.

(Signed) "H. A. COLMAN."

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VICKSBURG, MISS., Nov. 10.—On the
night of the 6th instant Thomas A. Keys.
of the firm of Keys & Pinson, merchants,
of Lloyd, La., was murdered in his store,
by bein knocked in the head and having
his throat cut from ear to ear. After a
thorough investigation Charles Williams, a
half-breed Mexican and a noted desperado, who has figured in numerous murders,
robberies and shooting scrapes, was arrested, along with a negro man, and put
in jail. The negro confessed to being
with Williams that night, and that Williams cut Key's throat. It is supposed
that the negro first brained Keys with an
axe, and then Williams cut his throat.

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WINDSOR, N. C., Nov 16.—Special.—
The recounty returning board met Thursday. They canvassed the vote of the
county and gave the Democratic candidates, on average, a majority of one hundred and fifty. One township, Coldrain,
was thrown out for informality.
The Third party and negroes voted
solidly all over the county. They allege that they voted twenty-five hundred
votes and beat the Democrats nearly
twe to one. Every fusion candidate says
that he will contest, and lively times
may be expected if they do.

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